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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

Applicants hereby Petition for a Two-Month Extension of Time, up to and including December 18, 2005. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(2), please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-1133 the required fee of \$225.00.

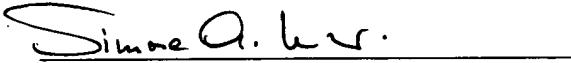
The fee charged reflects the applicants' claims to small entity status pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

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This Petition is being timely filed on December 19, 2005 since the due date, December 18, 2005, fell on a Sunday.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees associated with the filing submitted herewith or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1133.

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